

## WASHINGTON ALL READY TO HAIL TAFT PRESIDENT.

### 200,000 Eager Visitors Swarm Streets in Face of Driving Rain.

Washington, March 3.—A vast army of people to-night tramped the streets of the national capital in a downpour of rain in eager expectancy of the nation's greatest of all pageants, the presidential inauguration.

Everything was in readiness for the great event. Congress practically has cleared its decks, both houses having worked under high pressure for two days.

All the members of the Cabinet resigned, in accordance with custom and the labors of the Inaugural Committee were completed.

To-night the city was in the usual preinaugural state of congestion. It was estimated that fully 500,000 people have already arrived, and incoming train and boat will add its quota to the throng.

Trains from all points were arriving at intervals of a few minutes.

The hotels and boarding-houses have been taxed to their utmost.

In the event of rain, Mr. Taft will immediately take the oath and begin his address, which in all probability would be materially shortened.

According to estimates of time it is expected that Mr. Taft will take the oath of office at about 1:10 p. m. and that his speech will require about thirty minutes.

Luncheon will not be served at the Capital for the new President, which has been the custom of the past, and Mr. Taft is expected to start immediately at the head of the procession for the White House. Mr. Roosevelt will begin his march to the Union Station at about the same time.

#### Cassville News

From The Republican.  
J. A. Livingston received his commission as postmaster at Cassville, Friday. He took charge at close of business Saturday evening. Mr. Livingston will be assisted by his son-in-law, A. S. Kirk.

Sheriff Newman went to Monett and brought down Mrs. F. A. Oney last Thursday to serve a jail sentence. She was tried at the September term of court for assault, was found guilty and fined. The fine not being paid she satisfies it and the costs by a term in the county jail.

J. H. McGuffin, former President of the First National Bank, will locate at Sinton, Tex. Mr. McGuffin and citizens of Sinton have organized a new bank at that place. Miss Jewel McGuffin left Sunday evening for Sinton. Ms. McGuffin goes soon and the family are to move as soon as property can be secured.

Part of this city received announcement of the marriage of Miss Jean Weymouth to a Mr. White at Weymouth, Tex., March 3. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Emma Weymouth. The family is well known in this county, which was for some time their home. She is a young lady of culture and her many Cassville friends wish for her all the happiness life may have in store.

William Canada, who was chief of the Springfield fire department for thirteen years, has been deposited in the Baldwin theatre fire which proved disastrous was given as the reason, some thinking it was not properly managed. As it is a well-known fact that the building was a fire trap many believe that the Springfield fire department were not altogether responsible for the immense damage done.

The Music Club was entertained by Mrs. F. R. Miller and Mrs. Walter Draper at Mrs. Miller's home in Maple Terrace Tuesday evening. A musical program was rendered which was enjoyed by all.

#### STONES PRAIRIE.

We have been having some delightful spring weather the last few days.

Our farmers are all busy plowing and getting ready for their spring crops.

Mrs. Julia Phillips of Purdy visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Banks the first of this week.

Mrs. Ida Banks visited her mother Mrs. Martha Higgins Monday.

Sunday was the regular meeting day at New Site. Bro. McCombs failed to fill his regular appointment but Bro. Cannady came in his stead and preached excellent sermons both Saturday and Sunday, that were very much appreciated. He preached Sunday morning on "Missions" knowing that was the time appointed for the collection both for home and foreign missions. Bro. Cannady was formerly district Missionary for Barry Co. His discourse was very much appreciated as will be evidenced. As we stated in our items, it was announced at the last fourth Sunday meeting that the foreign mission collection again would be the fourth Sunday in February and that the collection would be equal divided, half going to home and half to foreign missions. It was also resolved by the members of the church to endeavor to make the amount of the collection \$25. You can imagine with what gratification they heard the announcement of the collection which was \$46.05, but this amount was added to by others who were unable to attend the services Sunday till now [Wednesday morning] it amounted to \$50.05. We are all very thankful for this collection and pray that the Lord will direct it in the way it may be the means of doing the most good for his cause and in leading lost souls to him.

There will be prayer meeting Wednesday night at the home of Asa Wormington. Every one is extended a cordial invitation to attend these services.

There will be Sunday School next Sunday as usual at New Site. Also prayer meeting Sunday night. Everybody is invited.

Wheat is looking a little better, but still has lots of room for improvement in this locality.

Mrs. Susie Yager and little son Myrtle of Walnut Kansas visited her cousin Mrs. Nora Holmes and family the last of the week.

With best wishes to the Times and its readers I sign myself,  
COLUMBINE.

#### Licensed to Wed

J. L. Sullivan and Jennie B. Clinton, Monett; John McCleary and Ida Martin, Exeter; Elbert Packwood and Edith Ellis, Exeter; M. R. L. Roberts and Annie Crenshaw, Rocky Comfort; R. L. Graves and Miriam Sheets, Exeter.

#### Married

Miss Nellie Hollowell was married Sunday to J. J. Moore. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. O. P. Hollowell on Sixth street. Mr. and Mrs. Moore took a honeymoon trip to Joplin and Springfield. They will make their home in Monett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore of Monett, were in Springfield Tuesday night and yesterday, en route home from a honeymoon trip. The newlyweds were married in Monett last Sunday and left for Joplin where they visited friends. Mrs. Moore was Miss Nellie Hollowell, daughter of Mrs. Oliver P. Hollowell of Monett at whose home the wedding took place. Mr. Moore is a Frisco machinist. They stopped at the Metropolitan hotel while here.—Springfield Republican.

Miss May Peters returned home Wednesday night from St. Louis, where she had been studying styles in millinery.

Rev. J. S. Allen, of the Baptist church preached an excellent sermon to a large audience in the M. E. Church South last night.

Thos. Markwell is improving his ground on Fourth street by leveling the lawn and putting in curbing.

## THE LAST DAYS OF SCHOOL

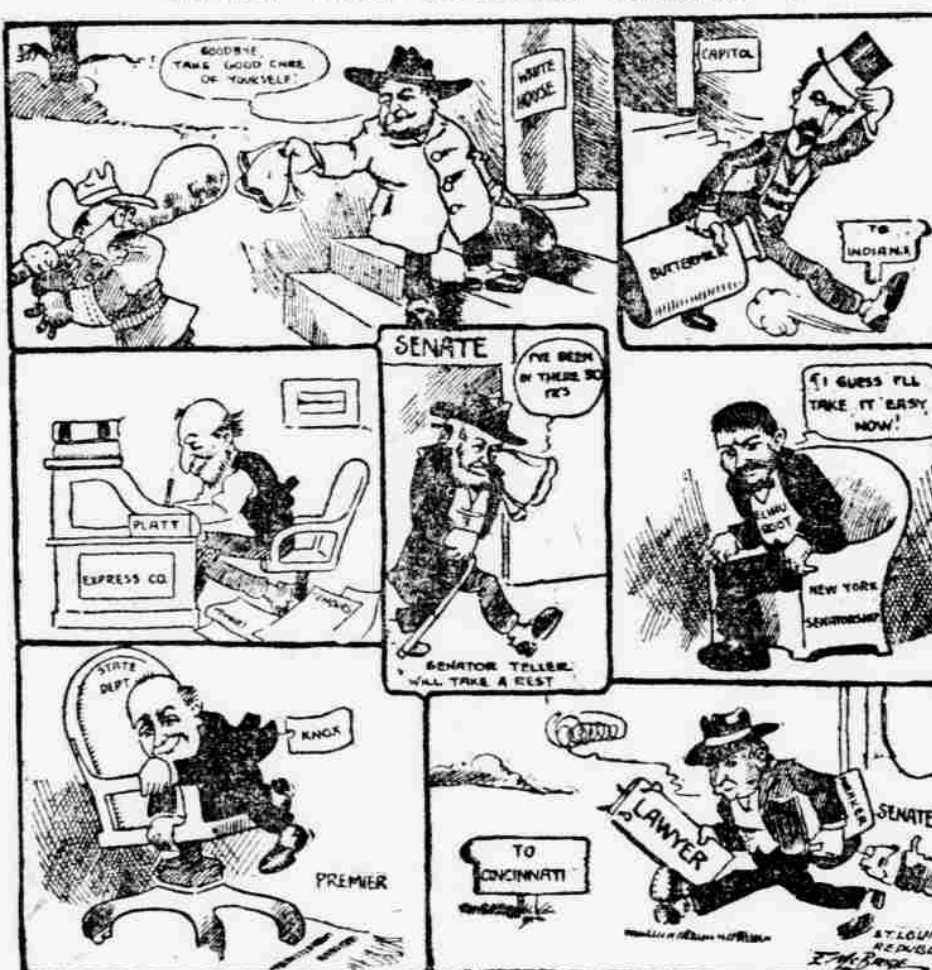


"Geel! Won't it Ever Get March 4th?"

### HAY FOR THE HOBBY



### WHAT WILL HAPPEN MARCH 4



### MUD IS FLYING



### A POOR SKATER ON A GOOD FLOOR



### ADDED THE AFFIX.

In concluding a review of the lesson of the Pharisee and the publican the superintendent said to the class:

"Now, then, whose prayers does God answer?"

To which a bright little lad quickly replied: "Republicans."

### SAVING THE PIECES.

"Why did you steal the horse?"

"I was drunk."

"Confess the circumstances and ask the mercy of the court."

"Never! The only thing I have left now is my reputation for sobriety."—Cleveland Leader.

### SUPERCILIOUS.

"Do you expect me to do the cooking?" asked the housewife, indignantly.

"Certainly not," answered the new servant. "I'm something of an epicure."

### A POSSIBLE PANIC.

The Mother—My son, whatever are you trying to do to your bank?

The Boy—I'm just bustin' it open to see how much pa left after he made a run on it this morning.

### SAD BUT COMMON CASE.

Knicker—Did Jones lose control of his auto?

Bocker—Entirely; his chauffeur won't let him use it at all.—New York Sun.

G. W. Chapin and family are moving to the H. H. Davies property in Forest Park. Mr. Chapin has taken a ninety-day lay-off on account of his health and will raise fancy poultry.

The services at the M. E. Church South are largely attended and the interest great.

C. J. Lauderdale, D. S. Mayhew, F. P. Sizer and T. L. Harvey went to Cassville Thursday on city business.

### Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, John Crossland and R. S. Crossland, his wife, by their deed of trust of date of April 20, 1907, and filed for record April 22, 1907, in recorder's office of Barry County, Missouri, in deed of trust book 40, at page 322, did convey to the undersigned trustee, Ora Hudson, lots numbered 5 and 6 in block 4, Callan's addition to the town of Monett, Barry County, Missouri, which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes therein described, and whereas, it is provided in said conveyance that in case of absence, death or refusal of the trustee aforesaid to act in the sale of said property that the then acting sheriff of Barry County, Mo., at the request of the legal holder of said note, should proceed to sell the property herein and before described; and whereas, the said trustee, Ora Hudson, refuses to act in the aforesaid sale, and whereas default has been made in the payment of said note and interest, now therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, I, the acting sheriff of Barry County, Mo., will on Friday, March 12, 1909, under the powers in me vested by said conveyance, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Cassville, Barry County, Mo. proceed to sell the above described property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of paying said note, interest and costs of sale.

ED NEWMAN,

Sheriff and Acting Trustee.

D. S. MAYHEW,

Attorney for Beneficiary.  
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## Cough Caution

Never, positively never poison your lungs. If you cough—even from a simple cold—your lungs are always hurt, and you are liable to develop a chronic cough. Don't blindly suppress it with a stupefying poison. It's strange how some things finally come about. For twenty years Dr. Shoop has constantly warned people not to take cough mixtures or prescriptions containing Opium, Chloroform, or similar poisons. And now a little late though—Congress says "Put it on the label, if poisons are in your Cough Mixture." Good! Very good! Hereafter for the very reason, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's label—and now in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance then, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and note the difference. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding

**Dr. Shoop's  
Cough Cure**  
ALL DEALERS

### Hits Torpedo; Wife Injured.

Little Rock, Ark., March 3, Curious ascertain the composition of a railroad torpedo. Henry Galloway, of Blevins, split it open with an ax yesterday.

His wife, who was standing by, was struck in the head and body with pieces of tin and lead, receiving injuries which are likely to result in blood poisoning.

Galloway was knocked down by the force of the explosion and the ax was hurled twenty feet.

### A Delightful Gathering.

Among the leaders of the higher life of Monett, the ladies of the First Presbyterian Church easily hold a first place. This has been abundantly evidenced by the series of "Social Evenings" given by them during the season now coming toward its close; and never more so than Wednesday evening when eighty or more people enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Harry H. Westbay, Dunn Avenue. Mrs. Westbay was especially fortunate in the corps of hostesses who assisted her in entertaining, namely: Mesdames Dusenbury, Dick Wightman, Buckley, Geister, Luby, Hawkins and Miss Frances Gibbs. These ladies know precisely how to do things, and last evening's gathering showed every detail worked out to a "T". The home was elaborately decorated for the occasion florally and with the National colors. Streamers hanging from ceilings to electric pendants; a life size bust of Lincoln, kindly loaned by Dr. Trumbower, draped with silken flags; with pictures of Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and President elect Taft, hung in as many rooms made a scene as beautiful as it was patriotic. During the three-piece re-creation hour a charming little musical and literary program was rendered, to which the following ladies, each one at her best, contributed: Mesdames Gibbs, Frank Wightman, Hawkins and Kepner; Misses Gibbs, Dameron, Ollie Jackson and Erma Dusenbury, with Master Herron Westbay and his violin. Friday afternoon the Union will meet for missionary and social hour with Mrs. Carl Lehnhard, Fifth street, at 3 o'clock.

#### COMMUNICATED.

Mrs. Otto Karn is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. F. M. Hall is ill with throat trouble.

J. R. Spilman, of Peirce City, spent Wednesday in Monett.

Miss Minette Volz has returned from Kansas City.

Sol Newman went to Joplin on business Thursday.

John Walsh went to Cassville Thursday.

A slight earthquake shock was felt at Hensley, Ark., Tuesday night.

Geo. Cope went to Aurora Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. D. Lenhart.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones on Kings Prairie Tuesday, March 2.

Mrs. W. A. Wear, of Cassville, was shopping in Monett Wednesday.

The Baptist ladies will serve their annual election dinner April 6.

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